



Building a 21st Century Infrastructure and Creating **Jobs** Statewide!

I-JOBS is a \$750 million, 3-year investment in lowa's **infrastructure**. It will create **jobs**, strengthen our **economy**, and allow us to build a <u>safer</u>, <u>stronger</u>, <u>greener</u>, and <u>smarter</u> state.

All without raising taxes!





Who Benefits from I-JOBS

- All IOWANS benefit by creating and supporting good jobs across the state
- <u>How many jobs</u>? Federal estimates are \$100 million in infrastructure creates and retains nearly 2,800 jobs





What Benefits from I-JOBS

- Roads
- Bridges
- Community Colleges
- Alternative Energy
- Iowa Veterans Home
- Airports
- Mass Transit
- Alternative Energy

- Disaster Areas
- National Guard
- Internet Access
- Correctional Facilities
- Water Quality
- Rail
- Schools
- Trails





Now is the Time for I-JOBS

- All 99 counties benefit from this economic recovery effort
- Jobs created and retained by investing in <u>bricks and mortar</u>
- Help for areas hit hard by both storms of 2008
- Help for communities distressed by the recession
- Requires <u>no increase in taxes</u>, including the gas tax
- Leverages billion of dollars in federal and private support





How I-JOBS Funds are Spent

- \$250 MILLION: Transportation, including road and bridge safety
- \$175 MILLION: Important projects already scheduled, such as Iowa Veterans Home and community colleges
- \$150 MILLION: Public buildings, disaster relief, mitigation projects, housing and other flood-related infrastructure
- \$100 MILLION: Water quality and waste water improvement
- \$75 MILLION: Local infrastructure, broadband technology, and alternative energy





How I-JOBS is Funded

BONDING

- 20-year, tax-exempt bonds
- Total bonding equal to \$750 million

PAYMENT

- Up to \$56 million per year from current gaming revenue
- Payments will be made with existing tax revenues

SCHEDULE

- Funds re-allocated if not used within 1 year
- All funds must be expended within 3 years





How I-JOBS is Organized

IOWA TRANSPORATION COMMISSION

Distributes funds for transportation projects

IOWA JOBS BOARD

- 11-member board to develop rules, review applications, make grant decisions for other projects
- Five public members to provide state-wide representation
- Directors of the Iowa Finance Authority, the Department of Economic Development, the Department of Transportation, Iowa Workforce Development, the Rebuild Iowa Office and the Office of Energy Independence.

IOWA FINANCE AUTHORITY

Provides staff and administrative support to the I-JOBS program





How I-JOBS Projects are Selected

- How soon a project is started and completed
- Number and quality of jobs created
- Contribution to the lasting imprint on the State
- Federal, state and private dollars leveraged
- Ability to fund depreciation costs
- Contribution to sustainability and efficiency
- Benefit to areas distressed by unemployment
- Geographic balance of projects across the state





- Maximize benefits of federal funds
- Enhance public safety
- Create and support jobs
- Support flood rebuilding
- Support renewable fuel and alternative energy
- Improve access to jobs for all lowans
- Reduce pollutants and greenhouse gas emissions





\$250 Million Over a Two-Year Period

- ✓ Highways and Bridges: \$200 million
- ✓ Other modes: \$50 million





Highway Funding Distribution

DOT: 50 percent (\$100 million)

Cities: 20 percent (\$40 million)

Counties: 20 percent (\$40 million)

Flood recovery fund: 10 percent (\$20 million)

Modal Funding Distribution

Distributed by application process

Transportation Commission review and approval





	2010	2011	Total
Highway – DOT	\$40 m	\$60 m	\$100 m
Highway - Local	\$74 m	\$26 m	\$100 m
Other modes	\$25 m	\$25 m	\$50 m
Total	\$139 m	\$111 m	\$250 m





Highway

STATE

- Reduce structurally deficient/functionally obsolete bridges
- Improve highway safety

LOCAL

- Support local roads not eligible for disaster aid
- Improve highway safety





Aviation

- Improve vertical infrastructure
- Improve runways and taxiways

Rail

- Passenger: Rehabilitate track
- Passenger: Improve/rehabilitate stations
- Freight: Fund rail access new, expanding business
- Freight: Rebuild rail damaged by floods





Trails

- Repair flood damaged infrastructure
- Modernize and rehabilitate existing trails
- Develop trails on abandoned rail lines
- Increase connectivity of statewide trails

Transit

Improve facilities (including flood rebuilding)





I-JOBS and State Infrastructure

\$175 Million for Public Projects

- Complete state-wide projects previously approved but delayed by economic markets
- Examples include:
 - ✓ Enhancements to our Community Colleges
 - ✓ Renovation of the Iowa Veterans Home
 - ✓ Improvements to correctional facilities





I-JOBS and Disaster Recovery

\$150 Million for Unmet Disaster Needs

- Iowa suffered the worst natural disaster in its history and one of the five worst in nation's history
- Floods and tornadoes caused billions of dollars in damage to all elements of public infrastructure
- There are many gaps in disaster recovery funding
- I-JOBS will allow our state to reach goal of rebuilding safer, stronger and smarter.





I-JOBS and Disaster Recovery

Funding is needed in key areas

- Enhance projects that receive FEMA funding
- Leverage additional federal funds by assisting communities with local match requirements
- Fund projects that do not get approved for federal funding





I-JOBS and Water Quality

\$100 Million for Water Quality Projects

- √ Sewer systems
- ✓ Water treatment facilities
- ✓ Watershed programs
- ✓ Lake restoration
- ✓ Rural water development
- Estimated to **leverage approximately \$435 million** in federal and private dollars
- Investment positions communities to be more economically competitive by having improved infrastructure at reasonable cost
- Enhances recreational amenities important to quality of life





I-JOBS and Water Quality

Examples of Potential Water Quality Projects

Program	I-JOBS Funds	Leveraged	Jobs Created
State Revolving Fund	\$50 million	\$300 million	6,650
Combined Sewer Overflow	\$12 million	\$60 million	320
Lake Water Quality/Restoration Program	\$15 million	\$12 million	300
Iowa Clean Streams Program	\$10 million	\$40+ million	TBD
Iowa State Park Waste Water Treatment	\$5 million	TBD	130
Emergency Watershed Program	\$5 million	\$20 million	TBD
Low-head Dam Solutions and Water Trails	\$3 million	\$1 million	240
Total	\$100 million	\$433 million	7640+ jobs





I-JOBS and Local Infrastructure

\$75 Million for Local Infrastructure, Broadband Technology and Alternative Energy

- Offers support to projects important to community
- Possible projects identified in all 99 counties
- Provides 20% match to federal funds for internet upgrades
- Improves broadband access throughout the state
- Builds upon Iowa's national leadership on alternative energy
- Support for public geo-thermal and wind energy projects
- Increase number of LEED-certified public facilities in Iowa





